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**COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (d)
AND PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Communication is submitted in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (d) issued in connection with the above-identified application on January 14, 2000. Applicants hereby submit a copy of their Declarations and Power of Attorney pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (d) and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.63 (d)(1)(ii). The Declarations were previously submitted with the parent case, U.S. Serial No. 08/228,208, filed April 15, 1994, claiming priority (Exhibit 1). Applicants also provide the petition to correct inventorship and the resulting response from the U. S. Patent Office, which were filed with the parent case (Exhibit 2 and 3, respectively). In accordance with the Notice, the deadline for submitting the Declaration was March 14, 2000. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time. The fee for this extension for a large entity is \$870.00. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

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The surcharge for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (d) is \$130.00. Accordingly, applicants hereby enclose a check in the amount of \$1000.00 to cover the filing fee including extension fees.

No fee, other than the filing and extension fees, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0306.

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